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Claimant
IN PRO PER

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION
CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT
SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

Case No. 08-1789 (BRL)

SIPA Liquidation

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Notice of Opposition by Appearing Party to:

**THE NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S DETERMINATION
OF CLAIM Mailed December 8, 2009**

RE: Claim Number 013232

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE COURT AND

TO IRVING H. PICARD, TRUSTEE AS FOLLOWS:

I am an indirect investor and oppose the Trustee's determination that because I did not have a direct account with BLMIS: (1) I am therefore not a "customer" and (2) therefore not entitled to any participation in any credit balance.

I have heretofore sent the Trustee a detailed description of our monies I invested that ultimately found their way into BLMIS, said monies being in the amount of \$29,500.

In the spring of 2009 I detailed to the Trustee the route of my funds; first to CMG, Ltd. a conduit (not a customer of BLMIS); then from CMG, Ltd. to The Brighton Company, Stanley Chais, General Partner; then from Chais/Brighton (a customer of BLMIS) to BLMIS, as a customer of BLMIS.

I incorporate by reference all the documentation currently in the Trustee's hands establishing the above connection of my investment which ended up in BLMIS.

The only "customer" in this chain is The Brighton Company (Stanley Chais sole, General Partner). This entity has publicly announced its inability to file a claim, or its unwillingness to do so, or both.

Thus, the Trustee's position leaves us as victims with no right to share, pro-rata, in any recoveries the Trustee shall make for purposes of distribution.

Please keep me fully advised of any proceedings in connection with the disposition of the Trustee's Determination of Claims, opposed by me.

Respectfully submitted by,

By: Gail Silverton

Joel Gutman

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Mailed or dispatched on January 6, 2010